BRITISH MINISTRY WITHOUT SUPPORT

Appeal to Country Would Probably Mean Liberal Victory.

LESSON IN LATE BYE ELECTIONS

Balfour, However, Likely to Ignore Expression of Popular Will.

NO WORKABLE OPPOSITION

Liberal Party, in Its Unorganized, Practhally Leaderless Condition, Unable to Take Over the Government - Eyes closed to the Main Issue.

LONDON, Aug. 23 .- The present Britlish government no longer commands the sipport of the country. No one with any degree of independence and judgment on form any other conclusion in regard to the political situation. The wonder is that anyone should be surprised by the results of the three recent bye-elections. The volume of the revulsion of popular sentiment, indeed, is surprising, but the fact that it is taking place has been patent since the general election of two years ago. The fact is that a large sec tion of the rank and file of the Liberal Inlonist party has revolted against the present, or rather, the recent ministry. Dissatisfaction was rampant even before man in society. He expresses the opin- But One American War Vessel Now the election of October, 1900, but the ion, for instance, that intemperance is Marquis of Salisbury was quite right in assuming that this would not be mani- awaiting young men. tested at the polls so long as the war was still in progress.

No constituency which was called on to vote before the peace agreement was acqually signed yentured to record its displeasure. The reasons for this sus-pension of judgment are clear to every-

Placing the Blame.

The war from its inception until within m few months of its close, had been a series of ghastly blunders. Political and military feeling was almost unanimous. however, that those who were responsible for the situation must carry the war through, especially as the opposition offered an alternative which was hopeless in regard both to men and

Patriotic Englishmen really had no choice but to support the Marquis of Salisbury until peace was attained. Now. however, the suppressed bitterness and dissatisfaction is eager to find expres-sion. This feeling is incited by the wide-spread conviction that the scandalous defects in the country's military equip-ment will fail to call out any genuine reforms from the present authorities. It is astonishing that the newspapers

representing both parties today attempt to account for the government's triple disaster in the collapse of its support in the bye elections at Bury. North Leeds and Seven Oaks by references to the education bill, the tax on corn, etc.

Main Point Overlooked.

Not a single writer sees in the expression of popular will a determination to rebuke and punish a government which as solely responsible for the terrible sacrifices of life and treasure in South

It is true in national politics, as in other sport,

That is the meaning of his voice in three constituencies which have spoken since peace was declared—that and his resentment against the almost intolering and they dusted on having an ample spoken sp and other war imposts.

The Warning Ignored. Prime Minister Balfour has the right, party. For this reason people who are

technically, to ignore the notice to quit anxious to climb, but who are unable or which was contained in these three unwitting to incur the heavy expense, warnings. He may, if he likes, go on misrepresenting the country for five more years before relinguishing power, suggest that some centus at every death, cides, the Alps offering an easy death. for it is not conceivable that a sufficient number of bye elections will occur to imperil the government's immerse ma-

He is quite justified in his refusal to go to the country by the fact that if he were defeated there would be no workable opposition minister available to take over the government. He will probably interpret the recent votes as a mandate to make some changes in the education bill, the public interest is which is largely fictitions, and no for He is quite justified in his refusal to mountain climbing, amounts in many which is largely fictitious, and no fur-ther notice will be taken of change of sentiment which is so obvious.

Reorganization Likely.

The effect of the bye elections will Physician Waiting for Wound to Heal undoubtedly be that lively efforts will be made to reorganize the Liberal party That organization might have continued in a moribund state for some time longer, but for the fact now manifest that it could easily carry the country Mrs. Harry Littleford, the young woman York. tomorrow with harmonious leadership who attempted suicide about two weeks program, if a general election ago by shooting herself in the left breast

an open question however. whether the new situation will tend to harmonize or further embitter the strug-gle among the lenders of that party.

Struck by Falling Brick.

Sherrly after 8 o'clock yesterday morn. ing Benjamin Connell, of 1348 Second clusting, and will be entirely heated with-Street southeast, employed of the ex-Street southeast, employed at the ex-tension which is being erected on the Providence Hospital reservation, was struck in the head by a falling brick. Reeves is not worried about it. it was The injured man was removed to one pi first decided that the doctors would of the operating rooms, where the suruse the X-rays about ten days ago to goons dressed a severe cut in his head, locate the built, but at that time Mrs.

Died Without Medical Attendance.

The five months old infant of Lucindu

Brown, colored, of Railroad Avenue,
Anacostia, died without medical attendance will be in about ten days or two weeks then the sesterday morning. Coroner Nevitt the builts is inciged in the masses of investigating the matter. The body the back, and will cause the patient no

LONDON'S LATEST FAD.

Pessessors Fortunate. LONDON, Aug. 23 - A new fad in London is the carrying of "lucky boxes," made similar to those worn by the Pha-

rache of ancient Easypt. Each box is made of chony, and is shout the size of an ordinary draughts Merriams, man. There is a trick opening inside, which contains an Egyptian eye.

The wearers of these lucky boxes are apposed to be free from all disasters. and to prosper in affairs of love and

ONE WEEK'S EPIGRAMS.

Andrew Lang's Tribute to the Classical Learning of Americans.

LONDON, Aug. 21 - Some of the epiof attention. Here are two of them: The Americans, in classical scholarship, are quite our equals if not our superiors."-Andrew Lang.

"I always said that the first object in them. my life was to do my work." This was the reason given by Gen, Christian De Wet for remaining in his stateroom

TEMPTATIONS IN SOCIETY.

George W. E. Russell Finds Less Intemperance But Gambling on the Increase.

LONDON, Aug. 23,-George William Erskine Russell has been writing som plainspoken things about about the youn no longer one of the most urgent perils

Feats-Unwillingness to Pay Ex-

perienced Guides Counts.

risk their lives with inferior guides.

MRS. HARRY LITTLEFORD

Before Locating the

the Bullet.

at her home, stated that she had on-

proved greatly within the past few days.

and was now able to walk about the

house. The young woman was removed

to het home from the Homeopathic

Dr. Reeves said the wound is rapidly

Littleford suffered a relapse, and owing

Hospital about it week ago.

pain until it is removed.

VERY MUCH IMPROVED

Some correspondents go so far as to

suggest that some deaths are really sui-

NEW ENGLAND HACKMAN BUNCOES GENERAL MILES

Driven to Fitchburg at the Cabbie's Re quest to Attend Non-Existent Reception.

LEOMINSTER, Mass., Aug. 22 .- An en-"Luck Bexes" Supposed to Make Their terprising backman got the better of Gen. Nelson A. Miles during his visit to his sister here on Thursday. After dinner the general took a stroll downtown, unrecompanied and called upor one of his aides, whom he had left a a hotel when he went to dine with the

While at the hotel he was waited upon by a backman and informed that he was wanted immediately at the schmonia Hotel, in Fitchburg. The message was a surprise to the general, who said that he had intended later in the day to go to that city by trolley, but if the peo-ple of Fitchburg had planned a little re-ception he would not disappoint them. He told the hackman he would ready to start at 3 o'clock. Promptly on the hour the hackman appeared at the Merriam homestend with the best urnout he possessed, and General Miles

got aboard, accompanied by his wife and sister, Mrs. Mary J. Merriam, all dressed for a reception In about an hour the party reached takes a journey until the state astrolo-the Johnsonia, expecting to be met by a ger has ascertained if the planets are committee, but, saide from an elevator boy, notody was on hand to receive them. Nor could they find anybody who seemed to know anything about their coming or the message desiring the general's presence in Fischburg.

The general expostulated with the

writing a book and not joining the pas-sengers in deck sports on the voyage paid \$4, and went into the hotel to find from South Africa. backman to walt for him. But the back-

an did not wait. When the general's presence in Fitchburn was announced he was waited upor by a committee appointed for the pur-pose. No member of the committee knew about the hack, and all agreed that he had been buncoed.

MARIETTA OFF VENEZUELA.

Needed for Patrol.

Cablegrams received at the Navy De-

REASON OF THE HEAVY LONDON PROPHET SEES AWFUL THINGS AHEAD ALPINE DEATH ROLL

Many Accidents Spring From Chronicle of Woe for Europe Jewelry. Avoidable Causes. in a Few Years.

Desire of Amateurs to Attempt Risky America Left Out-Seer Has His Predictions Published in Advertising Columns.

LONDON, Aug. 23 .- The series of neci-LONDON, Aug. 23.-There appears todenfis in the Alps reported this season day in the most expensive columns of has naturally provoked much comment London's newspapers of the biggest cirnewspapers. Many persons, es- culation, one of the most curious adverpecially members of Alpine clubs, have discments ever published. It consists of a been writing to the papers, pointing out long prophecy, occupying two and oneand marveling that the death roll has half columns, and describing a series of error onnot been heavier. They deprecate any momentous events which are to occur dies in Lon." attack on the sport of Alpine climbing, between 1906 and 1929, and which will him. The Maharajah's cards were en- white on his car. Garrett was standing

Good Guides Costly.

The question of economy often enters in, as good guides are very expensive, and they insist on having an ample sufficiency of assistants, proportioned against Germany and Russia. The

to the number and experience of the prophet says that a lot of terrible thinks will happen in the ensuing ten rears.

Poor America does not figure in the
awful chronicle. Presumably because she finds no place in Biblical history

ESCAPED HUSBAND AND LAW BY TAKING FLIGHT

Mrs. Bibby Takes Her Children to New York.

Evades Service of Writ Directing Her to Produce Them in Court Monday.

To evade the service of a writ of habeen corpus directing her to produce her two children, Harold and Frances Vera, in court Monday morning, Mrs. Elmore M. J. Bibby, it is said, has gone to New

Mes. Ribby left her home and also her husband at La Plata, Md., Monday morning and came to Washington and took lodging at 755 Seventh Street southeast. Mr. Bibby, after following his wife and trying to persuade her to return home with the children, and receiving her refusal, appealed to the court to gain consession of the children.

Family Had Flown.

When the deputy murshal visited 755 Seventh Street southeast yesterday be found that she had left with her boggage and children, maying that she was going to another part of the dry. Her-

MAHARAJAH OF JAIPUR AND HIS GOD DEPART

Ruler Personally Supervises Embarkation.

AMUSING

Invitations Accidentally Addressed by London Society to the Tutelary Deity of the Indian Prince, and Thus Were

the coronation was witnessed yesterday at Dover, when the Maharajah of Jatpur, at Dover, when the Maharajah of Jalpur, the most important coronation guest 'One Sunday afternoon, not being able from India, embafked on his return journey.

at Dover, when the Maharajah of Jalpur, drifting dangerously near the rapids. 'One Sunday afternoon, not being able to cound up enough of 'the bunch' to start a poker game, I was drearily won-

The Maharajah is a most scrupulous observer of his faith. He never under-

Thursday was the day originally settled on for his departure, and the planeta ruled that Thursday was the right day for the Maharajah to start, but at the last moment his London engage ments interfered so that the departure had to be made by a deputy. Dhauhat ral Bahadur, the Maharajah's director of

had sufficiently propitiated the planets there. The Maharajah arrived promptly at 11:20 with thirty tons of personal luggage and 150 members of his suite. and immediately proceeded to the captain's bridge.

The Maharajah personally superinpartment state that two of the vessels, tended the embarkation of his baggage,

> lish and half a dozen vessels resembling huse canteens, placed in two zinc

case, which was placed below and surrounded by a personal escort.

The secular baggage included a strange medley of articles purchased in London, such as several of the most modern rifles, silver-plated harness, a tricycle, a number of children's mechanical toys, like a horse bicycle a ciockwork engine and jumping jacks. White the entire suite of 150 swarmed on the deck in handling the baggage they deck in handling the baggage they chanted a song describing their cordial reception and how they improved their physical health during the visit.

An Amusing Mistake.

which they minimized is as safe as any culminate with the second coming of the milother sport.

between 1906 and 1929, and which will graved in Hindustani characters, and many invitations which were sent to his enstbound trip. At the corner of him, couched in the third person, and First and B Streets he was struck by

JOHNSON WILL AWAIT ACTION OF GRAND JURY

Waives Preliminary Examination When Arraigned on Charge of Shooting Major Armes.

Mr. J. Roland Johnson, charged with latter's country home, near Chevy Chase raigned in Judge Mills' court yesterday on the charge of assault with intent to kill. He pleaded not gullty and pre- its value that have come under my perliminary examination was waived by his counsel, Mr. Creed M. Felton. Johnson ach trouble, so ill that the slightest was bound over to await the action of movement caused me pain and the grand jury at the October term of take nothing into my court.

amount remained the same, no opposi-

Major Armes was not present in court Major Armes was not present as and a letterives. Horne and Burrows and a number of officesses were ready to testand the wanton the letterive flarrows had the wanton mad by letterive flarrows had been used by Johnson, It is a 22 caliber Harrington & Remington revolver. Mrs. Johnson, turned it over to the police the after-

COLORED BOY ARRESTED.

Notion Store. William Butler, a colored youth about

the Woolworth 5 and 10 cent store, on her trouble at such times it was with husband had suspicions, however, that Seventh Street northwest, yesterday at- difficulty I persuaded her to try she was going to New York to her relatives and instead of looking for her elsewhere went to the Singh Street depot. There he learned that his wife and chill deem an entered the store and noticed. tives and instead of looking for her elsewhere went to the Sixth Street depot there went to the Sixth Street depot the form in the properties of the Third precingt. The boy was have the learned that his wife and children had but a few minutes before taken passage for New York.

In her haste, however, Mrs. Bibby left her baggags behind her. Mr. Bibby got possession of it and shipped it to his possession of it and shipped it to his home at La Plata, Md. He then took the next train for New York where he will station about three dozen lead pencils again appeal to the courts to gain possession of his children.

of the Third precingt. The boy was hear the cologne counter when the possible and ear the cologne and ear the cologne counter when the possible and ear the cologne counter when the possible and ear the cologne and ear the cologne counter when the possible and ear the cologne and ear the cologne and ear the cologne and ear the first indication. The taste delighted her and ever since she has made it her chief article of diet. The result has been wonderful: her improvement is the subject of field. The cast wha

SHORT STORIES FROM THE SMALL AD. PAGE

Announcement of "Sensational" Sermon Rescued a Man Who Was Floating Down Stream.

nent church worker of the city a day or two ago. 'but if it had not been for a four-line notice which I saw on the shor MISTAKE ad page of The Times about a year ago, do not think I should have ever joined

coung man continued, "I worked in one of the large executive departments. It was come easy, go easy, and I had soon contracted very loose habits of living. I drank, played poker, and shot craps. About two years ago I lost my job, but I could not lose my expensive habits. "I existed for a white on the money leads to be soon and the form my former." LONDON, Aug. 23.—One of the most I could borrow and win from my former picturesque sights in connection with fellow-elers, because I was ashamed to go home and too broken in health by my excesses to do manual labor.

dering how I was going to pass the delightful but often embarrassing untering how I was going to pass the delightful but often embarrassing untering how I was going to pass the delightful but often embarrassing untering how I was going to pass the delightful but often embarrassing untering the King's reception.

The Times, in describing the leave-taking, says the Shah appeared almost unwill-storm. notice on the small ad page, the first. The present Shah is a man of considing to go. King Edward and the Shah is the announcement of a so-called scaled scaled sensational sermon, and I defermined to standpoint. He has not offered, as his but still be lingered, talking almost

transports, going to Pover.

Journey by Proxy.

There the state astrologer decided that the journey from London to Dover pure living and good eltizenship. "I have never regretted the step, nor ased to be thoughtful of The Times."

LAWN FETE IS GIVEN.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Thomas Entertain Commandry No. 2, K. T.

The lawn fete given Friday night by Sir drinking. This, combined with the influences of charve, and the medical profession, has produced an unmistakable improvement in regard to temperance.

Mr. Russell considers, on the other hand, that the perils of betting and gambling are seriously increasing.

The Topeka has left Puerto Cabello Leat's cre where allowed to help handle the former and new the former and new the former and the former but none except the members of this own suite were permitted to touch the latter.

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The most important items in the reproceed homeward to go into dry dock.

The Marietta is now left to watch lighous collection were Maharajah's family god, who was packed in a large feet. were also the large and imposing porches surrounding the building. There to break his Oriental calm. A troop of were about three hundred present at the performing dogs was the first thing tance from the other gushers and adds fete, the purpose of which was to bring able to betray him into more than a considerably to the proved oil fields.

Entertainment of various kinds was furnished upon the lawns while a most tanks, and requiring four men each to excellent rousical program was being tanks, and requiring four men each to carry them. These contained the sacred water of the Ganges.

The removal of the family god was the occ sion of a religious ceremony. The biga priest, in full vestments and jewelry, walked in front, mattering jrayers, while four Hindoos carried the case, which was placed below and surgently the case.

Conductor on Street Railway Meets With Painful Accident.

G. Y. Garrett, thirty years of age who resides at 216 Murray Street north-The Muharajah's devotion to his fam- east, or I who is employed as a conily god v s r , nonsible for a peculiar ducto, sy the Washington Traction Com-error on the part of several noble, lashe wished to entertain accident last evening about 9:45 o'clock

up and painfully bruised about the back and shoulders. His head was also so seriously lacerated that it was found necessary to take several stitches in the wound. Carrett's condition was said no to be serious in the least, although he was unable to leave the hospital last

OUT OF SORTS.

Pleasant Way to Drive Away the Blues.

A food that will bring back health and rosy cheeks to the sick as well'us pleas: hoofing Major George A. Armes at the the palate of the healthy is a pretty good food to know about. A lady it lirele, on Thursday morning, was ar- Minneapolis says: "I am such an en-'huslast upon the subject of Grape-Nuts that I want to state a few instances of

even medicine or water. I had been Mr. Johnson has been under \$1,500 two days without nourishment when my bends since he gave himself up on "The nurse prepared some with warm Thursday afternoon When the question of renewing the bond came up the hesitatingly at first until I found it hesitatingly at first until I found it "The nurse prepared some with warm was surprised at my improvement and did not resent my attributing the speedy

> ious that it appeals to the whole house hold and when either busband or I feel generally out of sorts' we try confining ourselves exclusively to the food for day or two with the happlest results

"For a year I have had for a neighbor a delicate girl—an epileptic—when I first Detected in Act of Robbing Counters in seeining severity pour as many as twelve fearful attacks having as many as twelve and sixteen convulsions in a day such times she took no nourishmen whatever. She had never tried Grape sixteen years of age, was arrested in Nuts and as any food seemed to increas

CLOSE OF SHAH'S VISIT TO LONDON

"It may sound curious," said a promi. Persian Monarch a Popular Favorite From the First.

"When I came to Washington," the TO START HOME TOMORROW

His Majesty Greatly Pleased With His Reception by King Edward and Queen -A Fortune in Jewels.

sensational sermon, and I defermined to go and hear it.

"I had not been inside of a church for two years but I expected that preacher to annuse me. He did more than anuse me. He made me think. Now, I am not going to tell you that I was "connected 'immediately or anything of that kind. I simply thought about the desire that he would like to buy a few that he would not go the simply thought about the of them. of them.

Nevertheless, the Shah was established from the first as a popular favorite. He is received with cheers whenever he appears at a place of public amusement, which even General De Wet or Lord Kitchener could not complain of.

An Impassive Monarch. These demorstrations he receives, as

he does nearly all attempts to entertain him, with the impossiveness fitting despot whose titles are "the king of kings, shadow of God, center of the uni

smile and a couple of French clowns provoked a hearty laugh. On the majority of occasions the Shah appeared more simply clad than some of his suite, but several times he display-ed magnificence, indicating the possession of greater wealth in precious stones than any monarch One gentleman, who is an expert in these matters, after ex-amining the Shah closely, said if he amining the Shah closely, said it he were put up at auction at Christie's, as he stood, he would fetch at the lowest calculation £752,000 for the lewels that

Impressed by Reception.

Nothing seems to have pleased or im-Alexandra on Board the Royal Yacht pressed the Shah more than his visit to the King at Cowes. The military pomp of his reception and the royal salute fired by the warships, which were dress-LONDON, Aug. 23.—The visit of the ed in his bonor, evidently pleased him, hah of Persia to London, which ends on while the King and Queen on the royal Monday, has been in one sense a dis- yacht effected a complete conquest of the

stopped the train, complaining that it was going over twenty-five miles an hour, which is the highest speed he will travel on land. When he crossed the channel he only allowed the crack stramer to go at the rate of twelve knots

This dislike of high speed is not due nervousness, but to the fact that it caused a feeling of nausea. -

ANOTHER OIL GUSHER.

Heywood No. 2 Broke Loose at Jannings, La., Yesterday.

NEW ORLEANS, Aug. 23.-Another oil gusher, known as the Heywood No. 2. has broken out at Jenuings, La., it was reported yesterday.

SIX DAYS of Wonderful SHOE BARGAINS.



Six more days remain of our "LET-GO SALE," during which time we're determined to sweep out all our summer shoes-many of them suitable for fall wear-to make room for the many incoming fall lines.

Each of these six days will mark an epoch in great value-giving; for we're offering only our own guaranteed FOOTWEAR-not job lots of refuse products, the usual make-up of most advertised sales-which are generally dear at any price.

It'll pay to lay in a six months' supply at these figures:

Women's Fine Hand-made \$2.50

Kid and Patent Leather, Turn or Welt Sole Blucher Ties, Oxford Ties, and Colon-ials: 8 popular \$1 60

All 33 and \$3.50 Dull or Bright

Kid and Patent Kid and Calf Col-

onials, with ridson bows or stylish buckles. For three days. \$1.87

Our Finest 33 and \$3.50 Black Surpass Kid, Hand-rewed Turn

heefs—wide or nar-row toes For three days

Oxford Ties, with low or

For three days ...

\$1.69

Women's \$1 and \$1.25 Viel Kid Turn and Heavy Sole, also Crash Linen, plain and dipped guaranteed Oxford Ties.
For three days......65°

Women's \$2 Patent Leather and \$1.50 Fine Kid Oxford Ties; styles; nearly all sizes and widths. \$1.15

Any pair \$2, \$3.50, and \$3 Tan Hand-made Laced Boots, in either For three days. \$1.35 one of our 3 stores.

Child's Shoes.

Boys' and Girls' \$1.50 and \$2 Kid and Patent Leather Oxford Ties-also \$1.50 Kid and Calf School Shoes, all \$1.15 For three days ...

Little Gent's \$1.25 Vict Kid and Kangaroo Calf Stout Sole Laced Shoes: 9 to 13%; excel-lent shoes for school wear. For three days.... 89°

Child's Barefoot Sandals, in all sizes to 11. "Ping-Pong" 31 Outing Shoes: sizes to 514.

For three days..... 65°

Men's Shoes. Men's \$3 Hand-made Stout Sin-

gle Sole Box Calf Laced Shoes and the Oxford Ties. \$2.15

Three styles \$3 grade Vici Kid and Patent Leather Oxford Ties; broken sizes of \$3.50 and \$4 Tan Low and High Shoes. For three days. \$1.85

A tableful of \$3 and \$3.50 Handsewed Patent Calf Laced and But-

Shoes. \$1.45

19c

Men's and Women's White Crash and Dark Olive Velour comfortable Bath and Bedroom Slippers.

39c

Men's and Boyn' 75c Rubber Sole Tennis Shoes - Child's 75c "Ping-Pong" Blue and Gray Outing Shoes.

Tableful of Boys' Brown Canvas Leath-er Sole Laced and broken sizes of Misses' and Child's Slippers.

45c

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